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The local relief committee "sat up and took notice" last week when it received two bills for bread from the Martin Bakery, which has been supplying bread for refugees, one bill for \$11 and another for \$77; whereas, the committee was under the impression the bread was being given gratis. The matter was taken up with J. T. Perkins, who originally suggested the shipment of bread in this case, and he informed the committee that there was no charge to be made against the committee for bread, but that Martin citizens were bearing the expense. H. L. Amberg, had already paid the \$11 account before the facts were ascertained.



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Regular Meals 25c

FROST'S CAFE

52nd Semi-Annual Statement

HICKMAN BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

HICKMAN, KENTUCKY

For Term Ending Feb. 1, 1916

To premiums for term... \$410.50
To interest for term... 167.50
To fees for term... 30.50

By expense for term... \$212.50
Net gain for term... \$1825.90

ASSETS

Loans in force... \$72,800.00
Due from borrowers insurance paid... 105.64
Cash in treasury... 8,814.71

\$81,720.35

LIABILITIES

Series	Shares	Value	Total
M2	101	\$104.90	\$10,594.90
N2	39	95.94	3,741.66
O2	123	87.62	10,777.26
P2	137	79.30	10,864.10
Q2	69	71.30	4,919.70
R2	131	83.36	12,101.76
S2	110	55.56	6,111.60
T2	105	47.95	5,034.75
U2	113	40.56	4,583.28
V2	158	33.25	5,253.50
W2	95	26.14	2,483.30
X2	148	19.31	2,857.78
Y2	134	12.67	1,697.73
Z2	112	6.24	698.88

1635 \$81,720.35

Tom Dillon, Sr., Secretary.

KILLING AT TIPTONVILLE.

W. M. Harrison, until recently a member of the telephone construction crew at Tiptonville, was shot and instantly killed Monday night by an unknown person. Six bullets from a .38 calibre revolver entered his body. Harrison recently reported some bootlegging and this is thought to have been the cause of his death.

BREAK IN LA. LEVEE.

Five counties in Louisiana were flooded Tuesday when the levee gave way at a point twenty-five miles above St. Joseph, La. Five towns were also inundated.

Mrs. Kline and daughter, Miss Daisy, leave Sunday for their home in Eaton, O., after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. C. G. Schlenker. Mrs. Schlenker will accompany them as far as Louisville.

D. B. Bryant, of Nashville, and his niece, Mrs. Rose Bryant, of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived this morning to visit his daughters, Mrs. H. C. Barrett and Mrs. T. A. Ledford.

CROCHET THREAD—O. N. T. Clark's and silk in crochet thread in all numbers and leading shades. Also a complete line of sunsilk.—Dobson.

Otto Hertweck and wife left today for their home in Cairo, after a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Percy Jones and other relatives.

Misses Marguerite Fuqua, Effie Bruer and Bess Thompson attended the New York Metropolitan Co. concert at Fulton Wednesday.

The river has dropped to 46 feet at Cairo.

NEWS OF THE WEEK FROM OVER WORLD

HAPPENINGS IN OUR OWN AND OTHER COUNTRIES BRIEFLY TOLD.

SHORT ITEMS FOR BUSY MEN

Week's News Condensations Reviewed Without Comment—All Nations Find Something to Edify and Instruct.

Announcement is made that Nathan Strauss, the philanthropist, and Mrs. Strauss have contributed \$250,000 to the relief of the Jews in Poland.

Dora Peterson, after being asleep 110 hours, was awakened by an Oconto (Wis.) physician. Miss Peterson was able to take nourishment and is apparently in good health.

The English steamship Clematis, outbound for Rotterdam with wheat for the Belgian relief commission, was rammed in Galveston channel by the Morgan liner El Monte. Both ships docked.

Miss Hazel Scott, who has been living in Des Moines several months, was arrested and will be taken back to Princeton, Mo., to face a charge of having murdered her baby.

President Wilson has commuted to two years the five-year sentence of W. P. Phillips, an officer of the Vinita (Ok.) National bank, for making false entries in a report to the comptroller of the currency.

Shipments of liquor from outside the state to any person in Mississippi will be limited to one quart of whiskey and 24 pints of beer each 15 days if the house concurs in the senate bill.

Newspapers report that the Russian government has decided to issue a new loan of 2,000,000,000 rubles at 5 per cent.

A resolution to authorize President Wilson to negotiate with Mexico for the purchase of Lower California was presented to the house by Representative Randall of California.

Frederick W. Jordan, formerly a member of Company E of the First Missouri Engineers in the Civil War, is dead at the national military home, Danville, Ill.

The first snow of the season fell in Paris Feb. 10.

Mrs. Elizabeth Phillips, 90 years old, was burned to death in Hoopeston, Ill., where she had lived nearly half a century.

The scarcity of rubber elastic has caused all the carter and suspender factories in Austria-Hungary to close down, as well as most of those in Germany.

The English board of trade is taking steps to mobilize a sufficient number of women to work the land in order to meet the shortage of agricultural labor.

Mary Aderson (Mme. de Navarro) is to appear on the stage again, having promised to take part March 7 at the Theater Royal, Worcester, in "Comedy and Tragedy."

Lieut. Berk, commander of the German prize ship Appun, announces he will give to the American Red Cross "milo" boxes found aboard the ship and containing \$75,000.

According to the Hunburger Nachrichten, Bukomaster Max of Brussels, who has been kept in prison by the Germans since the early part of the war, is soon to be released.

Decorations of the silver and gold honor badge of the Scottish "Black Watch" regiment has been conferred upon Mrs. William R. Taylor of Philadelphia "in recognition of her kindly act in writing in British soldiers in the trenches."

Charges of violating election laws made against more than 140 persons who served on election boards at Pittsburgh last September have been withdrawn by order of District Attorney R. H. Jackson.

One young woman was burned to death in her bed and six other girls and two men were injured by jumping from second-story windows of the Hammond roadhouse at Lurnham, Ill.

The executive committee of the Ozark Press association met in Springfield last Saturday and selected Rolla as the place and June 28 and 24 as the time for the next meeting of the association.

The senate has passed the bill allowing senators and congressmen to appoint three naval cadets instead of two.

Announcement of a 5 per cent increase in wages for its 1,000 employees was made by the American Iron and Steel Manufacturing company at Lebanon, Pa.

A string of pearls sold by New York newspapers to be worth \$1,000,000 and containing 50 gems was entered at the custom house.

A. B. Davis, judge of the Thirty-sixth judicial circuit court at Chillicothe, Mo., granted a temporary injunction against the Wabash and Hock Island railroads and the American, Adams and Wells Fargo express companies, restraining them from carrying liquor into Daviess county.

The senate has confirmed the appointment of Otto Praeger of Texas to be second assistant postmaster general.

Frank Anderson of Medford, Ill., arrested and taken to Henry county to tell what he knew of the death of Hoy Lenox of Dixon, confessed that he murdered the man with an ax.

The funeral of 11 victims of the recent Zeppelin raid, which was held in the church of the Notre Dame de la Croix, at Montluisant, brought out a thousands throng.

In a letter Admiral Dewey described the coast of Long Island as "the most unprotected and most easily attacked portion of the coast of the United States." Admiral Dewey said that only a powerful navy could prevent an invasion.

Two women were killed in a mysterious assault in the home of H. W. St. Clair, a railroad worker, at Mingus, Tex. Mrs. St. Clair and Mrs. Will Wilkins were beaten to death with an iron bar. No clues.

Prince Leopold of Bavaria will be appointed to command a German-Turkish army in an attack on the Suez canal, according to the Hayerische Kurier of Munich.

Creation of a national Hawaiian park including the crater area and natural wonders of the islands and volcanoes is proposed in a bill introduced in the lower house by the committee on public lands.

The Russian government has prohibited the importation of bound books.

It is rumored that I. T. T. Lincoln, former spy, who escaped from custody in Brooklyn a few weeks ago, is now en route to Europe.

Charged with forcing their two children, 6 and 7 years old, to remain in the cold until their feet were so badly frozen that amputation was necessary, J. A. Clark and his wife, negroes, are in jail at Bristol, Ok.

Pope Benedict has appointed the Rt. Rev. John J. Lawler, auxiliary bishop of the archdiocese of St. Paul, Minn., to be bishop of the diocese of Lead, S. D.

Robert H. Briggs, 57 years old, in charge of the United States weather bureau at Phoenix, Ariz., is dead, following a five days' illness. During the recent storm and floods in Arizona he was constantly at his post.

Representative Cary of Wisconsin has introduced a resolution for the transfer of the United States capital to Milwaukee.

A companionship which began in childhood, 70 years ago, has just ended in the death of Nathan and Sarah Mendenhall, pioneer residents of the Quaker community near Georgetown, Ill., who died only 45 minutes apart.

One person was killed and 10 seriously hurt at West Wheeling, O., when a street car was struck and demolished by a Pennsylvania railroad engine.

Eugene Ellison, president of the Insurance Company of North America, is dead at Philadelphia. He was 71 years old.

Prince Oscar of Prussia, little son of Emperor William, has been slightly wounded.

Willis L. Black, 61 years old, business manager and half owner of the Elkin (Ill.) Daily News, is dead at his home.

Two young women, Misses Agnes and Ruth Auerbach, 19 and 17 years old, respectively, have entered in the annual ski tournament at Cary, Ill.

Mail carriers from Iditarod said that when the mail was taken over the trail at Takotna the temperature was 71 below zero.

Otto Ruehle, Socialist member of the Reichstag, has followed the example of Dr. Karl Liebknecht by withdrawing from the Socialist group in the reichstag.

Fire in the heart of the business district of Toledo, O., caused damage estimated at \$106,000.

A general battle over the possession of land in the Kentucky mountains, in which one man was killed and three others badly wounded, was reported from Floyd county.

Too much water defeated the dyes in Sugar Creek township, near Terre Haute, Ind., when a prohibition vote was taken. The floods marooned the dry voters.

The steamer Harvard, loaded with passengers from Los Angeles, rammed the steam schooner Excelsior in San Francisco bay.

Eighty-two naval cadets at Annapolis have failed to make an average of 60 per cent in the mid-year examinations, and will be asked to resign.

Former Congressman William P. Hepburn, for years representative in congress of the Eighth Iowa district, is dead in Clarinda, Ia., after a long illness.

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M. E. CHURCH NOTICE.

Services Sunday, Feb. 20, as follows:
Junior sermon by the pastor 11 a. m.
Evangelistic service 7 p. m.
Sunday School 9:45 a. m., F. T. Randle Suppt.
Prayer and study hour Wednesday 7:30 p. m.
A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

R. C. DOUGLASS, Pastor

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Septuagesima Sunday, Feb. 20.
Holy communion 8 a. m.
Sunday School 10 a. m.
Morning prayer, litany and sermon 11 a. m.
Evening prayer and sermon 7 p. m.

Rev. W. F. Renneberg, Rector.

FDR SALE: Good Burt Seed Oats 60c; also good milk cow, 5 2 year-old grade Durham steers, some good 5 year old milks.—W. B. Metcalf, Dayce.

Garden seed.—E. B. Prather.

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Ladies, men's and children's silk hose, in colors of pink, blue, white, black, sand, grey at 25c. Others 10c and \$1.00 at Dobson's.

ROAD NEEDS ATTENTION.

It is said "cemetary road" is in an extremely bad condition. Of course this cannot be remedied until weather conditions be come better, but it should receive prompt attention then. I'm fortunately for the town, the burden of maintaining this road falls upon the city of Hickman, although it cannot by any stretch of the imagination be classed as a city street, as it is out of the corporate limits and the town derives no revenue from property abutting the road; nor does it exercise police powers thereon. The road's ownership is very much like a stretch out of Fulton—a hybrid affair—and which, by rights, should be owned by the county, and which, in Fulton's case, was forced to be accepted and worked by the county, when the higher courts passed upon the subject. At any rate, this road needs attention from some source.

TO LOCATE IN MEMPHIS.

Dr. C. W. Curlin, one of our most popular physicians and a valued citizen, is making plans to locate in Memphis during the coming month, where he will look after a large water proof coat concern, which he organized. The water proof process is a secret one, formulated by Hon. Seth Curlin and possesses extraordinary merit, inasmuch as raincoats and slickers can be produced at a fraction of the cost of the old fashion process. Here's hoping "Doc" makes a barrel of money in his new venture.

Vice President Marshall has consented to run again and leave the 1912 ticket unchanged.

Free calendar at Dobson's—Saturday only. Ask for one.

The Courier, until June 1, only 25c.

Gardening time next.

OBITUARY.

One of Fulton county citizens, J. W. Elks, was at rest Saturday morning, Feb. 17, 1916.

Mr. Elks was born in Carolina, eighty years ago, and came to this county some years ago where he remained a prosperous farmer and his age and ill health took his life. He is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Sallie Elks, of Clayton, where he had been confined to his bed for past two years.

He was a kind neighbor and a good man in his family and will be greatly missed by the wife who has been by his side many years.

He is also survived by children Mrs. Sallie Elks, Mrs. Nora Pollock, John, O. R.

He was laid to rest at Grove Sunday afternoon.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our friends of Kentucky and Tennessee for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our father and husband, Mr. J. W. Elks and children.

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A carefully selected stock of knives and embroideries. You will find your wants at 5c and 10c at Dobson.

Shelf hardware of all kinds Stark & Co.

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To Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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mother of four children and have suffered with female troubles, backache or the blues could see the letters written by women made well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I could just tell everything to you and I would not over and feed you that I would not want anyone to tell me at times. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Purgative stored me to health and I want to tell you for the good they have done me. I have had quite a bit of trouble and worry but it does not affect my youthful looks. My friends say 'Why do you look so young and well?' I owe it to the Lydia E. Pinkham medicine.—Mrs. Ront, Storier, Moore Avenue, Washington Park, Illinois.

We wish every woman who suffers from female troubles, nervous backache or the blues could see the letters written by women made well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. If you have any symptom about what you would like to know write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for helpful advice given free of charge.



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Hickman, Kentucky

Capital \$50,000.00

Surplus \$40,000.00

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W. C. REED, Cashier
JNO. PYLE, Asst. Cashier
DIRECTORS: W. C. Johnson, J. P. Maddox, H. L. Amberg, H. A. Tyler, O. G. Schlenker, J. T. Stephens, J. W. Cowgill.

COMING, MARCH 2nd. THE PRINCE OF GRAUSTARK.

After a lapse of years, comes a story about a Prince of Graustark, who is none other than the son of Princess Yelive, the heroine of "Graustark," so well remembered by our readers who enjoy good fiction.

This Prince is a full grown man, very much full grown, and very much of a man. Moreover, there is a beautiful girl in the offing, whose relation to Beverly is that of a daughter to mother. Also, there is a very shrewd, forceful, powerful American millionaire, with a brilliant and lovely daughter.

Now given these ingredients, so to speak, and the reader may trust George Barr McCutcheon to mix them up to give them just the right flavor—the flavor so well remembered in the famous stories "Graustark" and "Beverly of Graustark." This intensely interesting story of romance in the quaint, far-off principality of Graustark, will appear in the columns of the Courier, beginning Thursday, March 2. You should not miss the opening chapter.

NOTICE.

Five good farms for sale, cheap and on easy terms, located in Logan county, Kentucky. Good poles, limestone land. Well improved. No high water. Address R. W. Davis, Russellville, Kentucky. 3-24p

The residence of J. L. Callahan, at Fulton, burned shortly after midnight Monday morning. He carried \$1700 insurance and the loss is estimated at \$3,000.

Smoking and chewing tobacco at Stark & Co.

DEAD NEGRO ON COACH. FOUND AT FULTON.

An unknown negro was found frozen to death on top of a Pullman when passenger train No. 2 reached Fulton from the South Sunday morning. He was lying face down on the sleeper and had to be pulled loose from it.

He was thinly clad and it is believed he got on the top of the sleeper at McComb City, Miss. There was no paper on his person by which he could be identified. He appeared to be about 30 years old.

SCIATICA'S PIERCING PAIN.

To kill the nerve pains of Sciatica you can always depend upon Sloan's Liniment. It penetrates to the seat of pain and brings ease as soon as it is applied. A great comfort too with Sloan's is that no rubbing is required. Sloan's Liniment is invaluable for stopping muscular or nerve pain of any kind. Try it at once if you suffer with Rheumatism, Lumbago, Sore Throat, Pain in Chest, Sprains, Bruises, etc. It is excellent for Neuralgia and Headache. 25c at all druggists. Ad.

Arkansas was hardest hit of any section of the recent flood district. Breaks in levees and back water inundated ten counties, sweeping with it cattle, small farmers and tenants are reduced to nothing, so far as worldly goods are concerned. Aside from the flooding of West Hickman and unprotected lowlands, this section passed through the crisis without serious results, as regards the future.

Colds are dangerous; stop them at once with Stone's Cold Tablets.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Hickman, Ky., Jan. 27, 1916. Council met as per written notice of the Mayor. Present Mayor Dillon, Councilmen A. O. Caruthers, W. A. Johnston, W. T. Grissom, D. P. Leibovitz, E. D. Johnson.

Motion made and passed that City Attorney draft petition to the General Assembly of the State of Kentucky through Representative W. J. McMurry for the purpose of transferring the cemetery road back to the county and to placing the City of Hickman into the fourth class.

Resolution made and passed to appoint a census taker for the purpose of establishing the present population of the City of Hickman should same appear necessary in placing Hickman in the fourth class.

Mayor Dillon appointed Councilmen A. O. Caruthers, W. A. Johnston and D. P. Leibovitz on a committee to go over and revise the merchants tax with the City Attorney with instructions to report at the next regular meeting of the council.

On motion the above tax was to be set aside in a fund for the purpose of taking care of the streets of the city.

On motion the City Marshal was instructed to enforce the ordinance drawn up for the cleaning of the city streets.

There being no further business council adjourned.

Attest: Jno. Pyle, City Clerk.
Tom Dillon, Sr., Mayor.

Hickman, Ky., Feb. 7, 1916. Council met in regular session. Present Mayor Dillon, Councilmen A. O. Caruthers, D. P. Leibovitz, W. T. Grissom, W. A. Johnston and E. D. Johnson.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and on motion approved and signed.

The following accounts were presented, properly approved, and on motion allowed and checks ordered drawn on the City Treasurer for like amounts.

Cowgills Drug Store, mds., \$2.95.

Hickman Courier, printing, \$12.
C. A. Murchison, dining prisoners, \$28.35.

The final report of the retiring City Treas. received subject to the O. K. of the finance committee.

The report of the City Clerk for the year 1915 was received subject to the O. K. of the finance committee.

The City Judge reported that the City Marshal had collected \$90 on fines during the month of January and on motion said report was ordered spread upon the records and filed.

The bond of the City Treasurer elect was accepted, said City Treasurer elect being present the oath of office was duly administered to him by City Atty. T. R. Powell, notary public.

The bond of A. S. Hamby for \$5000 signed by C. G. Schlenker and C. T. Bondurant as sureties on motion was accepted.

On motion the bond of the City Supt. Dillon for \$1000 signed by C. G. Schlenker as surety was accepted.

On motion the City Clerk was instructed to notify the City Assessor to turn his books over to the board of supervisors at once.

On motion the City Clerk was instructed to place the order for the city tax books at once.

On motion made and seconded the following ordinance was passed by the affirmative vote of all the councilmen present:

Said ordinance in words and figures as follows: The City Council of the City of Hickman do ordain as follows: That the tax rate for the City of Hickman for the year 1916 shall be as follows:

Property and real estate 75 cents per hundred dollars.
Fire engine bond tax 12 cents per hundred dollars.

Poll tax \$1.50.
Male dog tax \$1.00.
Female dog tax \$2.00.

Attest: Jno. Pyle, City Clerk.
Tom Dillon, Sr., Mayor.

On motion made and seconded the Chief of Police was allowed 10 per cent on all old fines collected by him.

On motion the City Clerk was instructed to order some blank receipts for the use of the City Marshal in the collection of fines.

On motion made and seconded the following ordinance was passed by the affirmative vote of all the councilmen present. Said ordinance was in words and figures as follows:

That, Whereas, the Hanchett

Bond Co., of Chicago, Ills., was at a meeting of the Council for said city, of the date of December 15, 1915, declared and accepted as the highest and best bidder for the purchase of Bonds of said city in the sum of \$7,500, same being known as Fire Apparatus Bonds, and it appearing that said bid of the Hanchett Bond Co., of Ills., is the highest and best bid, said offer is hereby accepted, according to the terms of said offer, and the following formal contract be executed by the Mayor and the Clerk of Hickman, and delivered to the Hanchett Bond Co., of Chicago, Ills.

This agreement, made and entered into, this 7th day of February, 1916, between the City of Hickman, Ky., party of the first part, and the Hanchett Bond Company, of Chicago, Ills., party of the second part, WITNESSETH.

That for and in consideration of the sum of \$7,887 and accrued interest, payable upon the approval of the legality and regularity of the issuance \$7,500 fire apparatus bonds of Hickman, Ky., said first party agrees to sell to said second party, said bonds in the sum of \$7,500 dated January 1, 1916, maturing in ten years from date, without option or previous payment, bearing interest at the rate of six percent per annum, principal and annual interest payable at Hickman, Ky., and of the denomination of \$500.

Said first party agrees to prepare and pass such additional ordinances or resolutions or papers as are necessary to make the said issue legal as soon as possible prior to the delivery of the bonds to the bank of said second party's choice.

Said first party further agrees to retain the sum of \$500 deposited with said first party, and to apply same upon the purchase of the within mentioned bonds upon the completion of the investigation of the legality of said issue, and to return same to said second party should said issue be illegal.

Said second party agrees to make all necessary investing as soon as is reasonably possible, and to complete the within contract and pay said sum of \$7,887 at a date not later than April 1, 1916.

Given under our hand and seal of the City of Hickman, Ky., this day and date first above stated.

There being no further business council adjourned subject to the call of the Mayor of the City of Hickman, Ky.

Attest: Jno. Pyle, City Clerk.
Tom Dillon, Sr., Mayor.

FOR CHILDREN'S COUGH.

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CLOSING OUT SALE.

Beginning Saturday, Feb. 19, 1916. On account of other business transactions I want to close out at cost, in the next 30 days, my entire stock of Merchandise, consisting of Groceries, Hardware, Shoes, Men's and Boy's Underwear, Etc. No fake sale. Come and see for yourself. J. M. Jones, Cayce, Kentucky. 1p

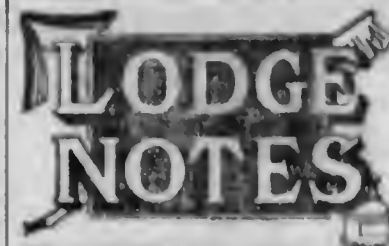
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Try our new Martha Washington coffee at 35c or Edgewood at 30c; both guaranteed. — Bondurant Bros.

S. M. Naifeh is putting in new shelving and roller ladders in his store building.

Jas. Milner was over from Fulton on business Monday.



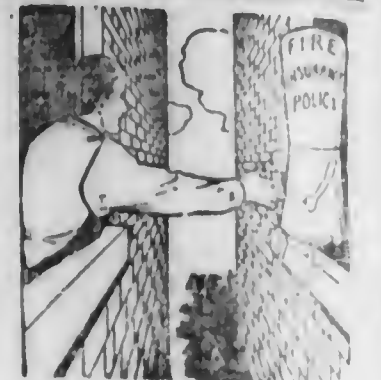
L. O. O. M. NOTICE.

Hickman Lodge No. 1294, Loyal Order of Moose will meet every Tuesday night at their new club rooms at 7:30 p. m. All members are requested to attend each meetings.—A. M. Shaw, Dictator, C. M. Reynolds, Secy.

Hickman Chapter No. 49, R. A. M., will meet in stated convocation next Monday evening. Members requested to be present and visiting companions extended a cordial welcome. Lon Naylor, H. P., W. F. Montgomery, Secy.

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Suppose a fire broke out today in the home, office or store and joining you how would you stand in regard to a fire insurance policy? Have you got one at all? Is it in a sound and reliable company? Now is the best time to think about it and to take out a policy if you haven't one. You can't get it afterwards you know. See us about a policy at once. The cost is small—the benefits great.

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Attorney at Law Union City, Tenn.

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HICKMAN, KENTUCKY

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R. M. ISLER, H. T. DAVIS, H. C. HAMMACK, Asst. Cashier
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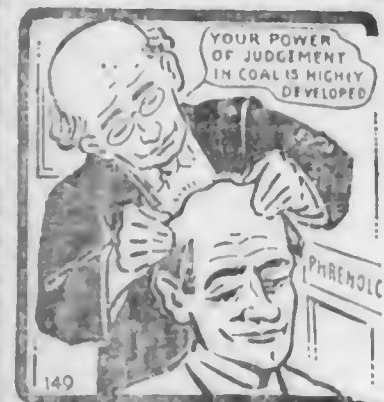
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Every day are Learning about the Splendid
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The prompt and efficient store service, combined with the big, unusual values always offered in Men's and Boys' Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Furnishings, make this store the ideal place to trade

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MEN'S COMPLETE OUTFITTER

The "Live Store" where quality reigns higher than price.

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FULTON COUNTY ASSESSMENTS COMPARED.

Following is a recapitulation of real estate and personal property listed for taxation in Fulton county as shown by the books in the office of S. T. Roper, county clerk:

Amount of notes secured by mortgage in 1916 \$159,836, 1915 \$243,600.

Amount of other notes in 1916 \$260,799, 1915 \$198,735.

Amounts of accounts in 1916 \$27,552, 1915 \$10,880.

Amount of cash on hand in 1916 \$28,825, 1915 \$52,315.

Amount of cash on deposit in banks in 1916 \$8,722, 1915 \$10,380.

Number acres of land in 1916 114,469, 1915 115,086.

Value of above and improvements in 1916 \$2,393,275, 1915 \$2,466,765.

Number of town lots in 1916 2,328, 1915 2,069.

Value of above and improvements in 1916 \$1,571,515, 1915 \$1,485,275.

Number of common mares, geldings, colts in 1916 1,849, 1915 2,080.

Value of above in 1916 \$114,555, 1915 \$131,349.

Number of mares and mule colts in 1916 2,137, 1915 2,275.

Value of above in 1916 \$146,995, 1915 \$169,625.

Number of jacks in 1916, 18, 1915 13.

Value of above in 1916 \$2,325, 1915 \$1,615.

Number of jennets in 1916 2, 1915 10.

Value of above in 1916 \$50, 1915 \$175.

Number reg. bulls in 1916 15, 1915 10.

Value of above in 1916 \$615, 1915 \$365.

Number of reg. cows and calves in 1916 61, 1915 31.

Value of above in 1916 \$2060, 1915 \$2,350.

Number cows, calves, bulls, common, in 1916 3,812, 1915 3,876.

Value of above in 1916 \$61,450, 1915 \$67,835.

Number of sheep in 1916 1,689, 1915 1,578.

Value of above in 1916 \$4,895, 1915 \$4,560.

Number of hogs in 1916 8,060, 1915 11,117.

Value of above in 1916 \$35,000, 1915 \$16,425.

Number of agricultural implements in 1916 21,585, 1915 21,950.

Number of luggies, wagons, autos, etc., in 1916 53,380, 1915 51,630.

Value of household goods in 1916 \$82,250, 1915 \$105,050.

Value of machinery in 1916 \$6,389, 1915 \$42,773.

Value musical instruments in 1916 \$16,725, 1915 \$19,775.

Value raw materials for mfg. in 1916 \$7,740, 1915 \$8,100.

Value manuf. articles in 1916 \$52,870, 1915 \$51,000.

Value of paintings in 1916 \$325, 1915 —.

Value of diamonds in 1916 \$3,185, 1915 \$3,790.

Value watches and clocks in 1916 \$1,180, 1915 \$2,350.

Value of jewelry in 1916 \$625, 1915 \$495.

Value steam engines and boilers in 1916 \$2,120, 1915 \$5,645.

Value of boats and water craft in 1916 \$4,600, 1915 \$5,325.

Number of stores in 1915 161, 1915 —.

Number Thr. Stallions in 1916 5, 1915 5.

Value of above in 1916 \$750, in 1915 \$1,050.

Value gold, silver and plated ware in 1916 \$40, 1915 \$145.

Value of mineral products in 1916 \$1,400.

Value patent rights in 1916 \$1000.

Value wines, whiskey, etc., in 1916 \$1000.

Value of stacks mdse. in 1916 \$276,730, 1915 \$323,560.

Value of all property not listed above in 1916 \$90,410.

Total value farm property in 1916 \$2,393,275, 1915 \$2,466,765.

Total value city property in 1916 \$1,571,515, 1915 \$1,485,275.

Total personal property in 1916 \$487,233.

Total other items \$1,064,549.

Amount exemptions household goods \$170,715.

Grand total property assessed in 1916 \$5,345,875, 1915 \$5,389,918.

Number males over 21 years of age in 1916 3,480, 1915 3,312.

Children between 6 and 20 years in 1916 1,280, 1915 745.

Number dogs over 4 months in 1916 393.

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The Old Standard general strengthening tonic GROVER'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. See

Soon be time to go to boosting for the chautauqua.

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Contain no acid and thus keep the leather soft, protecting it against cracking. They combine liquid and paste in a paste form and require only half the effort for a brilliant lasting shine. Easy to use for all the family—children and adults. Shine your shoes at home and keep them neat.

THE F. F. DALLEY CO., Ltd.
Buffalo, N. Y.

BLACK-WHITE-TAN 10¢ KEEP YOUR SHOES NEAT

RURAL SYSTEM ASSURED.

At a call meeting last week of the Fulton County Rural Telephone Co., a move was launched and officially subscribed to for a rural telephone system for Union City. This is the only town of its size in this section which has no rural system. An exchange at that city will be a great convenience to subscribers on the Hickman system. Union City has been the one missing link in a well developed system of toll lines in Western Tennessee and Kentucky.

When the bowels become irregular you are uncomfortable and the longer this condition exists the worse you feel. You cannot rid of this misery quickly by using IERBINE. Take a dose on going to bed and see how fine you feel next day. Price 50c. Sold by Hickman Drug Co. Ad.

The gravel road east of town is one highway that has been passable under any and all weather conditions during the present winter. What a fine and convincing argument for better roads!

Rep. Walter McMurtry was home from Frankfort for the week-end.

Try Stone's Cold Tablets at Hickman Drug Co.

SEC'Y. OF WAR RESIGNS.

Secretary of War L. M. Garrison surprised officials at Washington, Friday, when he tendered his resignation to Pres. Wilson, and same was immediately accepted. Henry C. Breckenridge, assistant to Garrison, also left the service with his chief.

Difference of opinion on the subject of preparedness between Mr. Garrison and the president was the cause of the rupture. This is the third member to leave Wilson's cabinet.

If you are looking for an investment that will yield you a better profit than a well managed business in Hickman, buy a few pounds of radium. It is quoted now at nine million dollars a pound, and it is said that the price is sure to advance in a short time. Here's a real opportunity for some one to lay by a nice sum for that rainy day.

Deputy Sheriffs Lon Naylor and Allie Thomas have returned from Eddyville after delivering 2 prisoners to the penitentiary officers.

Colds are dangerous; stop them at once with Stone's Cold Tablets.

Lon Shelton and family are visiting in Wingo.

MAJ NORMOYLE IS DEAD.

Maj. James E. Normoyle, Third United States Infantry, in command of Fort Ontario, at Oswego, N. Y., died Friday of blood poisoning. He was born in Michigan and served in Porto Rico, Cuba and the Philippines.

Normoyle spent several weeks in the hospital in 1913, during the time he was in charge of the hospital at quarter boats, which were used as a refuge for refugees from their stock.

WORK To those thrown out of employment and depending upon charity for supplies, I will give work in clearing at Bondurant, Ky., at 15c cents an hour for able bodied men who will do an honest day's work. Propagate amounts for boys. —S. L. Daults.

Good stockings are said to be the best in feminine hose. In the illustration they are as a whipped hound's.

FOR SALE: Good timothy hay 2 miles on Dresden road Hubbard place. —Al John

Green spent Thursday of in Union City.

Old papers 20c a hundred.—Central office.

GLYCERINE AND BARK PREVENT APPENDICITIS.

The simple mixture of buckhorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler-ika, astonishes Hickman people. Because Adler-ika acts on BOTH lower and upper bowel, ONE SPOONFUL relieves almost ANY CASE of constipation, sour stomach or gas. It removes such surprising foul matter that a few doses often relieve or prevent appendicitis. A short treatment helps chronic stomach trouble. THE INSTANT, easy action of Adler-ika is astonishing. —Helm and Ellison, druggists.

Mrs. A. A. Paris entertained Tuesday of last week from 2:30 to 5 in honor of Mrs. D. L. Goldberg and Miss Daisy Kline. Two tables of bridge were enjoyed. Delicious salad course and hot chocolate were served. Those present were: Mesdames C. M. Reynolds, C. G. Schlenker, F. S. Moore, L. A. Stone, C. L. Walker, Percy Jones and Miss Irene Paris.

Sanspareil, Magnolia and Sweet Rose self rising flours are all sold and guaranteed by Bondurant Bros.

Russell Johnson and wife have returned from Louisville after a few days stay.

Photoplays exclusively at the Empress—only 5 and 10c.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Fulton Circuit Court, Ky.

Birdie Pewitt Guardian & etc., Plaintiff,

Against Mayona Pewitt & Etc., Defendant.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Fulton Circuit Court, rendered at the January Term, thereof, 1916, in the above cause, for a division of the funds arising from said sale and costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House door in Hickman, Ky., to the highest bidder, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday the 13th day of March 1916, at Two o'clock P. M., or thereabout (being County Court Day), upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit: Being the east half of the lot known as lot No. 15 as laid out by map or plan of A. C. Holmes, Surveyor of Fulton County, Ky., the same being on file in County Court Clerk's office in the case of S. T. Atteberry, guardian & Etc., said lot being in and adjacent to Cayce, Fulton County, Kentucky. Said lot being deeded to hours by E. F. Thomas and wife on 12th day of October 1895 and recorded in deed book No. 19, page 532, and was conveyed to George W. Pewitt and wife Birdie Pewitt by J. W. Naylor and wife Nora V. Naylor, deed dated October 13th, 1911, and recorded in deed book No. 28, page 558 records of the clerk of Fulton County Court.

For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved security or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

J. R. MILLNER,
Commissioner

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXA-TIVE GROVER'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. See

Roads were knee deep in mud Saturday—and frozen as hard as a brick Monday. Some variety in the weather here.

You can get supplies for the Singer from a needle to whole machines at my office at E. C. Rice's Cash Shoe Store.—L. A. Brock, local agent.

When You Want Your SHOES REPAIRED Bring Them to

LUTER'S

Big Electric Repair Shop

We use the Best Leather and Rubber Heels that can be bought, and we are cheaper in our price than anyone else in town. Have it done while you wait, it does not take long. We also have a nice line of

SECOND-HAND SHOES

Which we sell mighty cheap.

Come in and see us. Located next door to FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANK.

THE OLDEST AND BEST SHOP IN TOWN

"Preparedness"

ARE YOU PREPARED?

In looking back we find that twenty-six years ago we began building homes in Hickman.

The Association, in its economical way, has builded more homes in Fulton County than any other association, of like character, in the United States.

It is to your interest to investigate the inducements offered. The Association does not profit by your investment—you are the gainer. Every shareholder is a stockholder; in other words, it is a mutual company comprised of the citizens of Fulton County.

Look around you and see how many are enjoying the comforts of home derived from the judicious investment made in the Association.

Ask yourself whether it is more profitable, satisfactory and sensible to take stock and build a home or continue to pay rent from year to year, and in the end have nothing to show for your money.

THE BOOKS ARE OPEN FOR THE

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Call on the Secretary and he will explain all the details relative to the safest, best and most profitable investment you have ever made.

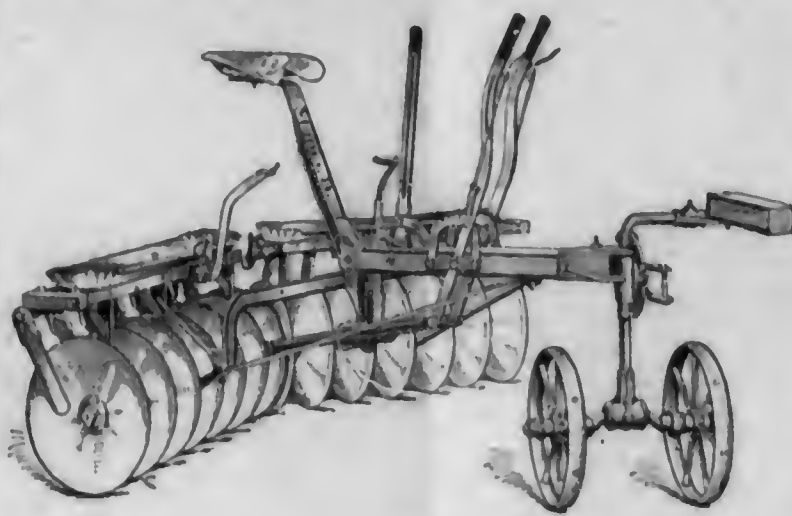
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The Government and progressive farmers recommend discing before breaking. John Deere and Osborn Disc Harrows are recognized to be the best. They will cut your ground and stalks to a mulch and put same in apple pie order. If you want big yields try it. Big stock---same price as last year.

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DONATIONS TO 1916 FLOOD RELIEF COMMITTEE.

The following is a complete list to date of contributions made to the Hickman Flood Relief Committee for the purpose of caring for those rendered homeless during the high water, which is just now getting back into the river banks. It is needless to add that the committee is grateful for each and every donation. Without them, the flood sufferers would have been in dire straits. Rations have been issued for an average of 1440 people daily, to say nothing of clothing and fuel required. Although conditions have improved greatly with the receding waters, there are still many people to feed and will be for several days or until such time as the factories are able to resume operations. Donations have been received as follows:

Cash Items:

Real Cross,	\$500.00
Lucile Reed, Ohio,	5.00
Mengel Box Co.,	50.00
Citizens Union City,	61.75
Standard Oil Co.,	50.00
Blue Wing Hunting Club,	25.00
Judge Gus Thomas, Frankfort,	20.00
Mrs. J. M. Burgoyne, New York,	10.00
Harvey Hogg, Nashville,	5.00
W. D. Wilson, Dresden,	5.00
Mo. Pants Co., St. Louis,	5.00
Hecht Bros., St. Louis,	5.00
Rice, Stix D. G. Co., St. Louis,	25.00
Citizens of Louisville,	89.75
Shymanski & Sons, Louisville,	10.00
W. O. W., Fulton,	15.00
W. P. Nash, Union City,	5.00
B. F. White, Cadiz,	5.00
L. Jonasa & Co., Nashville,	5.00
E. F. Lusky, Nashville,	5.00
Rev. B. W. Hampton, Cape Girardeau, Mo.,	1.00
Prof. J. H. Saunders,	5.00
Mrs. M. Randle,	2.50
Mrs. Knox Harper, Rives,	2.50
W. J. Harper,	1.00
E. C. Rice,	1.00
R. R. Burdett,	1.00
Mrs. Allie Goadler,	5.00
Miss Virginia Luten,	1.00
C. H. Moore,	5.00
Mrs. A. H. Leet, .....	.50
Mrs. B. G. Hale, .....	.35

Miss Effie Bruner, .....	.30
Miss T. Frenz, .....	.50
J. A. Roper, .....	.50
Mrs. J. B. Housley, .....	.25
S. A. Choate, .....	.50
Mrs. Ernest Johnson, .....	.25
Cash, .....	.10
Miss Frankye Reid,	1.00
Mr. Hill,	5.00
Mrs. J. E. Swift, .....	.25
Mrs. Oma Shaw, .....	.20
Cash, .....	.50
Hickman Joint Stock,	5.00
Woman's Guild,	5.00
Mrs. T. J. Malone,	5.00
Mrs. Hewett, .....	.25
Mrs. Vick Walker, .....	.15
I. W. Dolbins,	5.00
Miss Diestelbrink,	1.00
R. M. Isler,	5.00
St. Louis Fur Co.,	1.00
Miss Allie Dodds,	5.00

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"A druggist has many opportunities to make lasting friends of his customers," said Mr. J. C. Brady, popular Rexall Pharmacist of Fall River, Mass. "The very nature of his business draws their confidence for little helpful suggestions on the matter of health. Many people have thanked me for recommending Rexall Orderlies as the best relief for constipation and its resultant ills. Put up in dainty candy tablet form, they are pleasant to the taste and make an ideal laxative for the home—for men, women and children alike."

We have the exclusive selling rights for this great laxative. Trial size, 10 cents.

THE HICKMAN DRUG CO.
THE REXALL STORE

Peoples Bank,	5.00
C. T. Bondurant,	5.00
E. & M. Bank,	5.00
W. A. Johnston,	5.00
B. G. Hale, Sr.,	2.50
S. L. Dodds,	5.00
W. H. Baltzer,	5.00
Hickman Bank & T. Co.,	5.00
H. C. Helm,	5.00
W. C. Johnson,	5.00
M. B. Shaw,	5.00
Dave Leibovitz,	5.00
R. L. Bradley,	5.00
Bailey Huddleston,	5.00
Cash, Mt. Sterling, Ky.,	1.00
Goadler Johnson,	5.00
Turk-Wilson Gro. Co.,	5.00
Public Service Co.,	5.00
J. R. Bryant,	5.00
Chas. Baltzer,	5.00
P. J. Frenz,	5.00
Cowgill's Drug Store,	5.00
H. C. Amberg,	5.00
Henry & Henry,	1.00
Tom Dillon, Sr.,	5.00
Hickman Courier,	5.00
H. L. Amberg,	5.00
E. Dobson,	2.00
Jake Plant,	1.00
T. T. Swayne,	2.00
J. H. Russell,	1.00
Dr. J. A. Mitchell,	1.00
J. M. McMickle,	1.00
Citizens State through Courier-Journal,	249.25
Logan Prather,	1.00
F. T. Randle,	2.00
Richard Prather,	1.00
James Prather,	1.00
Mrs. F. E. Jones, Lexington,	1.00
Arch Herteck,	1.00
Nancy Morgan,	1.00
S. A. Wilson,	1.00
R. V. Putnam,	1.00
Elma Allen,	1.00
H. M. Ellison,	1.00
C. A. Glaser,	1.00
J. O. West,	1.00
E. B. Prather,	1.00
H. C. Burdett,	2.00
C. C. Allen,	1.00
L. N. Gregory,	2.00
A. A. Faris,	1.00
R. E. Dougherty,	1.00
R. E. Blow,	1.00
C. L. Clark,	1.00
Evan Furis,	1.00
C. C. Mooney,	1.00
W. T. Pendleton, .....	.50
C. A. Murelison,	1.00
C. B. Travis,	1.00
John Choate,50
Frank Watson,50
A. O. Caruthers,	2.00
R. C. Luter,25
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Your Property in town or country.

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RIVER APPROPRIATION.

The annual appropriation Rivers and Harbors was made this week by the committee, amounts to a total of \$10,000,000. This Mississippi river is about \$6,720,000. Of this amount \$1,000,000 is to be spent between the mouth of the river and Cairo.

LITTLE JACK HORNER.

Little Jack Horner Sat in the corner, And ate too much Christmas pie. His mother gave him Lemolax, So Little Jack did not die.

Ed. Palmer and Geo. Oliver are planning a prospecting trip to Arkansas, with a view to "hooking" some government land.

Don't experiment; plant the old reliable, Perry garden seed for sale by E. B. Prather.

Courier Want Ads get results.

People who use Peruna

Mrs. T. Frech, R. R. 1, Hickory Point, Tenn., writes: "I am happy to tell you that I am cured of catarrh. Having been afflicted with catarrh and stomach trouble for seven years, and after having tried four different doctors, who only relieved me for a little while, I gave up all hope of being cured. I was induced to try Peruna, and to my great surprise I am now entirely well. My health never was better."

FOR INDIGESTION

Mrs. W. H. Whitehead, R. R. 1, Pryor, Oklahoma, writes: "I am happy to tell you that I keep free from my old stomach trouble; feel no catarrhal symptoms at all. I am able to do my work, eat and drink what I want, and rejoice to know that I found a sure cure in your valuable medicine. I think it saved my life. My beginning to time with Peruna I was cured sound and well."

Are Strong and Happy

The Peruna Company, Columbus, Ohio. Those who object to liquid medicines can now procure Peruna in tablet form.

PRAYER SLIGHTLY MIXED.

An editor went to church the other day and was called upon to read in prayer, when he responded as follows: "Almighty and kind Father who cloth from Thy throne look down upon the government of delinquent subscribers most humbly we beseech Thee to draw near unto them and whisper a few things into their ears that will surely forbids us to print. Thou knowest our wants, but the printer knows them not and we are forced to inquire. Let it be known to them that there are papers on the homestead of our saints and that there is an unholy coal in the front part of their coats and that we hunger and thirst, and he asks us not to come up and sup with him. Thou knowest, Lord, that our paper costs money, but the subscriber knoweth it not and we are forced to ask a great deal less. Thou knowest we are cold and we are forced to bringeth not the paper to them, and we are forced to shivering, while he sits before the red light of his mother. Tell them these things, Lord, and bringeth no success to the lower realm, and among the republicans and calumny howlers, and let them be the praise and glory of our newspaper." Amen.

A many cold in the lungs that was expected to come itself has been starting point in many cases of disease that entered factory. A sensible course is to take a few doses of BALDHEAD HOREHOUND SYRUP. It is the progress of the disease and its nature to reduce to normal conditions. Price 25c. and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Hickman Drug Co. Advt.

J. P. Labovitz spent Sunday and Monday in Kenton.

The PRINCE of GRAUSTARK



THE AMERICAN HEIRESS

This Is Maud Applegate Blithers!

She is heiress to the Prince of Graustark. "I am not for sale," says the prince. "I won't meet the prince," says Maud. What was the result?

HERE'S PROOF.

A Hickman Citizens Tells of His Experience.

You have a right to doubt statements of people living away but can you doubt Hickman endorsement?

Read it: C. A. Watson, Hickman, says: "For years I had kidney complaint. I suffered from pains in the small of my back, which were always more severe if I stooped or lifted. My back ached at night and in the morning, I was very lame. I tired easily and occasionally had nervous spells. Headaches bothered me and I was subject to dizzy spells, during which there was a blurring of my sight. When I caught cold, it settled on my kidneys. At such times, the passages of the kidney secretions became too frequent. This was particularly annoying during the night and I was often obliged to get up several times. Learning of Doan's Kidney Pills, I procured a box at Helm & Ellison's Drug Store. Two days after using them, I got relief. After I had taken one box, I was cured."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills the same that Mr. Watson recommends. Foster-Milburn Co., props., Buffalo, N. Y. (Advt.)

The Congressmen are working hard at Washington, fired with the heroic and patriotic purpose of spending the surplus, and keep ing down any action that might lead to assisting flood stricken cities. However, Barkley did what he could for us—the net result being 0.

Mrs. C. G. Schlenker entertained Friday evening from 7 to 10 at one table of Rook and three of Five Hundred in honor of her sister, Miss Daisy Kline. At the close of the games a delicious salad course was served.

LELOMAC possesses the virtues of Calomel without its unpleasant and dangerous after-effects.

Miss Virginia Luten visited her uncle, Dr. Joe Luten, and wife, of Fulton, last week.

While they last—3 pound can Union City Tomatoes only 10c.—Boudurant Bros.

REV. HAMPTON WRITES.

Rev. B. W. Hampton, of Cape Girardeau, Mo., (former pastor of the Hickman Christian church), writes the Courier as follows—also encloses check for Flood Relief Committee: Dear Friends: The weekly visits of the Courier constitute one of our chief diversions. It surely is a pleasure to read a paper run on such high ideals, and maintained at the high standard those ideals call for. Aside from the wide range of home news, there is a tone about the paper that is invigorating—refreshing.

But of late it has contained some news that is to say at least is sad indeed, and evokes from all who read it, a feeling of commiseration and pity, for the suffering and inconvenience you people are called upon to endure. But to one who has lived there, and deeply attached to the people as we are, that which affects the people for good or ill, affects us deeply.

We are glad to note that in all the dark clouds that hover over you, there is a silver lining in proposed new levee by the railroad. If the railroad and Hickman combined do not drop into their old habit of prostration, and wait until the next high water to come and wake them up again to their danger. This is not said in the spirit of criticism, but in the hope that they may apply themselves until the ideal is a reality.

I am enclosing just a little remembrance of the many favors we have received from Hickman people, and to show them even in so little an amount, that we still love them, and only wish it was much more. Please hand the check to the relief committee to be used at their discretion.

Hoping that you will soon be back in your usual splendid social, industrial and commercial life, and wishing the very best for Dear Old Hickman.—B. Wade Hampton and wife, 225 S. Middle St.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Fulton Circuit Court, Ky.
B. T. Davis Plaintiff
Against
Mrs. E. A. Edwards & Etc Defendant.—Equity.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Fulton Circuit Court, rendered at the January Term, thereof, 1916, in the above cause, for the sum of Four hundred sixty five and 85-100 Dollars and interest from Dec. 27th, 1914, and Three hundred forty two and 15-100 Dollars and interest from May 1, 1916, at the rate of six per cent, per annum, until paid, and costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House door in Hickman, Ky., to the highest bidder at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday the 13th day of March 1916, at Two o'clock P. M., or thereabout (being County Court day), upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit: A part of the south half of the N. E. quarter of section 21, T. 1, R. 5 West, Fulton County, Kentucky, bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake on the south line of the quarter pointers Mulberry west 12 1/2 links, a sycamore south west 15 links a Walnut, east 5 links and 30 poles to Poplar stump, the south east corner; thence south 87 1/4 west with said south line 77 poles to a dead gum at forks of Spring branch, thence 71 1/2 west with Clays line 76 1/2 poles to a stake on the west line of quarter 26 poles north of the south west corner; thence north 31 1/2 degrees east with said west line 58 poles to a stake in branch pointers Ironwood, S. W. 12 links, Ironwood N. E. 13 links; thence north 87 degrees 55, east 145 1/2 to a stake in old field, 2 poles north of fence; thence south 7 1/2 degrees east 81 poles to the beginning, containing 67 acres more or less. Same was conveyed to Henry Pollock and S. T. Mathews by J. M. Kirk et al, on December 27th, 1912 and recorded in D. B. No. 30, page 43 of Fulton County, Kentucky, and conveyed to Henry Pollock and Sam Mathews to E. A. Edwards and M. M. Brown and by John Kirk to M. M. Brown by deeds duly recorded in office of the clerk of the Fulton County Court.

For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved security or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

J. R. MILNER, Com'r

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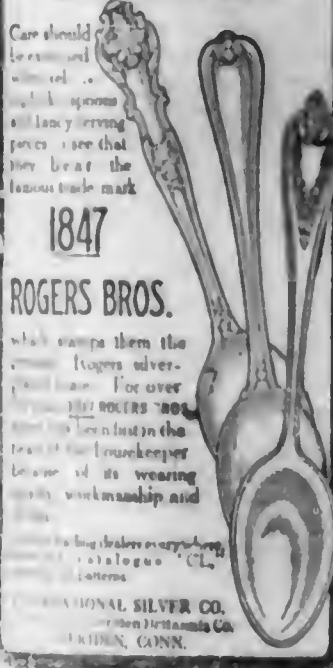
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NOTICE TO TRUCK GROWERS.

A. O. Caruthers, president of the Truck Growers Association has called a meeting of the association to be held at the Courier office Saturday afternoon, Feb. 19th. He wants to find out what average of truck there will be this year, and other matters of interest will be discussed.

Mrs. E. E. Case entertained a few of her friends Thursday evening from 7:30 to 10:30 at 500. At the close of the games delicious Spanish cream, cake and punch were served. Those present were: Madames W. H. Baltzer, W. C. Johnson, F. S. Moore, D. A. Stone, R. L. Bradley, J. T. Stephens, C. G. Schlenker, H. C. Amberg, R. L. Stone, Nim Walker, C. L. Walker, T. J. Malone, Percy Jones, Misses Mary Berendes and Julia Jackson. Out of town guests: Mrs. Kline and Miss Daisy Kline, of Eaton, Ohio; Mrs. Otto Hertweck, of Cairo, and Mrs. D. L. Goldberg, of St. Paris, Ohio.

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ARMED MERCHANTMEN TO BE TREATED AS WARSHIPS.

A new phase in the European war develops with the announcement by Germany and Austria to the effect that on and after March 1, all armed merchant ships of the entente powers will be classed as warships and treated accordingly.

The intention of the Teutonic

submarine warfare have been settled in accordance with the contentions of the United States. This is based on the belief that, with Germany and Austria-Hungary giving notice that they will sink without warning all armed ships, the two governments cannot legally claim the right to sink unarmed vessels without removing passengers. That is the principle for which the United

embarked upon a belligerent warship. Officials seem not to be able to conceive that any issue could arise in the future from a submarine warfare conducted under these rules.

The United States acted on the assumption that no war vessels of the Central Powers except submarines, were at sea, and that a single shell, of even a small caliber, fired from a gun aboard a

warship, would force the Central Powers to refrain absolutely from attacking such unarmed ships without warning.

Officials suggested that the announced intentions of the German and Austrian Governments would force the hands of the enemies.

In the embassies of the allies here, it is freely stated that not the slightest doubt prevailed that

of the desperate need of ships to carry its products abroad, could afford to exclude from its ports allied merchantmen, the governments owning them could afford to send in only enough unarmed ships to take out goods consigned to themselves. There seemed reason to believe that the view which obtained at the embassy fairly reflects the position of other allied governments.

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HEAD OF WHOLESALE GROCERIES DIES AT BARDWELL.

John W. Turk, of Bardwell, one of the heads of the Turk-Wilson Wholesale Gro. Co., a branch of which is located at Hickman, died Friday night after a protracted illness.

Mr. Turk was a native Kentuckian, and was interested in a number of manufacturing and jobbing concerns. He was one of the largest land owners in the Jackson Purchase, and was considered one of the State's business and commercial men. He is survived by a host of friends in this and other States who will learn of his death with the deepest regret. He was president of the Turk-Wilson Wholesale Grocery Co., of Paducah, Ky., and Hickman, and had many friends here.

Mr. Turk leaves his wife and three sons and two daughters as follows: Messrs. Linman, Harry and John Turk, all of Bardwell; Mrs. Devo Bauman, and Paul Turk, of Bardwell.

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The Old Standard Grove's Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of IRON and IRON. It acts on the liver, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood and builds up the whole system. 50 cents.

Mrs. Percy Jones, of Bardwell, entertained Wednesday afternoon from 2:30 to 5 in honor of her sister, Mrs. D. L. Goldberg. About 500 and 600 were the guests of the afternoon. After the week furnished music on the piano while delicious punch, low cream, cake, coffee, and kisses and salted nuts were served to the guests. Those present were: Messdames F. S. Moore, L. A. Stone, T. R. Power, R. L. Stone, T. A. Lestford, Mrs. W. W. J. O. Stubbs, F. E. Cline, A. A. Park, Jr., C. L. Wacker, C. G. Schlenker, T. J. Malone. Out of town guests, Mrs. Kline and Mrs. Daisy Kline, of Eaton, O.

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A cold, burn or severe headache slowly if neglected. A family that keeps a bottle of BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT on hand is always prepared for such accidents. Price 25¢, or \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by the man Drug Co.

The necessity of lowering the income tax exemption to \$1,000 is patriotically advocated by those having incomes of \$1,000 or over.

J. T. Stephens and wife left Sunday for Chicago where Mr. Stephens will attend the National Cement Show.

Mrs. D. L. Goldberg left Sunday for her home in St. Paul, after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Percy Jones.

The postoffice window in a small town is headquarters for disappointment.

Allen Bright spent a few days last week in Obion.

Courier Want Ads get results.

MRS. MELTON'S LETTER**To Tired, Worn-out Mothers**

Jackson, Miss.—"I shall feel repaid for writing this letter if I can help any tired, worn-out mother or housekeeper to find health and strength as I have. I have a family of five, now, and do my housework and I became very much run-down in health. A friend asked me to try Vinol. I did so and now I am well and strong and my old-time energy has been restored. Vinol has been superior as a tonic for worn-out, run-down, tired mothers or housekeepers."—Mrs. J. N. MELTON, Jackson, Miss.

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BIG SPECIAL SALE!

We had planned a Special 9c Sale of hundreds of items of New Merchandise to begin Saturday, February 12th, as per our Big Hand Bills, but the overflow obliged us to postpone this event.

We now announce the beginning of this sale for

SATURDAY February 19th TO LAST TEN DAYS

And we further announce that we have added to the list of bargains enumerated in our Big Hand Bills, several hundred other items from our regular stock, making this a regular bargain feast for you.

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allies is considered in official and diplomatic circles here to be a development of the memorandum proposing the disarming of the merchant ships which Secretary Lansing recently sent to the entente powers. High officials of the State Department seemed disposed to consider the development broad enough to warrant the claim that the fundamental questions involved in the conduct of

States has so vigorously contended since the beginning of the negotiations over the conduct of submarine warfare.

In view of this situation, American citizens, it is stated by high authority, now may be warned that they will take passage aboard armed merchant ships at their own risk and be entitled to no more protection from the United States than if they had

merchant ship might sink any submarine. It was recognized that submarines had a right to operate in accord with international law, but that their commanders could not be expected to endanger their vessels and crews in dealing with armed ships.

The department hopes to bring about an agreement from all of the entente allies to disarm their merchant ships and then to ob-

tain a pledge from the Central Powers to refrain absolutely from attacking such unarmed ships without warning.

Confronted with the virtual threat of the United States to classify armed merchant ships as war vessels, preventing their entering American waters more than once in every six months, or remaining more than 24 hours, it was said at one of the embassies that if the United States, in face

Such action virtually would amount to a boycott of American ports. It was also contended that such a course would be far reaching and disturbing to American trade, in general. It was suggested that the unarmed merchant ships which did enter American ports would be met outside the three mile limit by warships and conveyed to their destination, or the ships might be armed at sea.